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# U.S. District Court District of Columbia (Washington, DC) CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:18-cv-01449-JEB

REINHARD v. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY Date Filed: 06/19/2018

Assigned to: Judge James E. Boasberg Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act Date Filed: 06/19/2018 Date Terminated: 07/11/2019

Jury Demand: None

Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of

Information Act

Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
06/19/2018	1	COMPLAINT against <i>Department of Homeland Security</i> (Filing fee \$ 400 receipt number 0090–5543130) filed by JOSHUA L. REINHARD. (Attachments: # 1 Civil Cover Sheet, # 2 Summons, # 3 Summons, # 4 Summons)(Montalvo, Eric) (Entered: 06/19/2018)
06/20/2018	2	ERRATA re <u>1</u> Complaint filed by JOSHUA L. REINHARD.(Montalvo, Eric) Modified on 7/3/2018 (zrdj). (Entered: 06/20/2018)

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	Case Assigned to Judge James E. Boasberg. (zsb) (Entered: 06/20/2018)
<u>3</u>	SUMMONS (3) Issued Electronically as to DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY, U.S. Attorney and U.S. Attorney General (Attachment: # 1 Notice and Consent)(zsb) (Entered: 06/20/2018)
<u>4</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Damon William Taaffe on behalf of DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY (Taaffe, Damon) (Entered: 08/06/2018)
<u>5</u>	ANSWER to Corrected Complaint 2 by DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY.(Taaffe, Damon); Modified to add link on 9/5/2018 (tth). (Entered: 09/04/2018)
	MINUTE ORDER: The Court ORDERS that the parties shall meet, confer, and submit a joint proposed briefing schedule by September 18, 2018. So ORDERED by Judge James E. Boasberg on 9/4/2018. (lcjeb2) (Entered: 09/04/2018)
	Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Proposed Briefing Schedule due by 9/18/2018. (znbn) (Entered: 09/10/2018)
<u>6</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY. (Taaffe, Damon) (Entered: 09/19/2018)
	MINUTE ORDER: The Court ADOPTS the parties' <u>6</u> Joint Status Report and ORDERS that they shall file a further Joint Status Report by November 19, 2018. So ORDERED by Judge James E. Boasberg on 9/19/2018. (lcjeb2) (Entered: 09/19/2018)
	Set/Reset Deadlines: Joint Status Report due by 11/19/2018. (znbn) (Entered: 09/19/2018)
7	Joint STATUS REPORT by DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY. (Taaffe, Damon) (Entered: 11/19/2018)
	MINUTE ORDER: The Court ADOPTS the parties' 7 Joint Status Report and Briefing Schedule and ORDERS that: 1) Defendant shall file its motion for summary judgment by December 20, 2018; 2) Plaintiff shall file his cross—motion for summary judgment and opposition to Defendant's motion by January 18, 2019; 3) Defendant shall file its opposition to Plaintiff's cross—motion and reply in support of its motion by February 1, 2019; and 4) Plaintiff shall file his reply in support of his cross—motion by February 8, 2019. So ORDERED by Judge James E. Boasberg on 11/19/2018. (lcjeb1) (Entered: 11/19/2018)
	Set/Reset Deadlines: Summary Judgment motions due by 12/20/2018. Response to Motion for Summary Judgment due by 1/18/2019. Reply to Motion for Summary Judgment due by 2/1/2019. Replies due by 2/8/2019. (znbn) (Entered: 11/21/2018)
<u>8</u>	MOTION for Summary Judgment by DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY (Attachments: # 1 Text of Proposed Order, # 2 Statement of Facts, # 3 Memorandum in Support, # 4 Houck Decl. with Exhibits)(Taaffe, Damon) (Entered: 12/19/2018)
9	Consent MOTION for Extension of Time to by JOSHUA L. REINHARD (Attachments: # 1 Proposed Order)(Montalvo, Eric) (Entered: 01/11/2019)
	MINUTE ORDER: The Court GRANTS Plaintiff's <u>9</u> Motion for Extension of Time and ORDERS that: 1) Plaintiff shall file his cross—motion for summary judgment and opposition to Defendant's motion by January 25, 2019; 2) Defendant shall file its opposition to Plaintiff's cross—motion and reply in support of its motion by February 8, 2019; and 3) Plaintiff shall file his reply in support of his cross—motion by February 15, 2019. So ORDERED by Judge James E. Boasberg on 1/15/2019. (lcjeb2) (Entered: 01/15/2019)
	Set/Reset Deadlines: Summary Judgment motions due by 1/25/2019. Response to Motion for Summary Judgment due by 2/8/2019. Reply to Motion for Summary Judgment due by 2/15/2019. (znbn) (Entered: 01/17/2019)
<u>10</u>	RESPONSE re 8 MOTION for Summary Judgment filed by JOSHUA L. REINHARD. (Attachments: # 1 Memorandum in Support Memorandum of Points and Authorities, # 2 Statement of Facts Statement of Facts, # 3 Text of Proposed Order Proposed Order)(Montalvo, Eric) (Entered: 01/25/2019)
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01/25/2019	<u>11</u>	Cross MOTION for Summary Judgment by JOSHUA L. REINHARD (Attachments: # 1 Memorandum in Support Memorandum of Points and Authorities, # 2 Statement of Facts Statement of Facts Statement of Facts, # 3 Text of Proposed Order Proposed Order)(Montalvo, Eric) (Entered: 01/25/2019)
01/31/2019	<u>12</u>	Consent MOTION for Extension of Time to File Response/Reply as to 11 Cross MOTION for Summary Judgment, 8 MOTION for Summary Judgment by DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY (Taaffe, Damon) (Entered: 01/31/2019)
01/31/2019		MINUTE ORDER: The Court ORDERS that: 1) Defendant's Consent 12 Motion for Extension of Time to File is GRANTED; 2) Defendant shall file its Opposition to Plaintiff's Cross–Motion for Summary Judgment and its Reply in Support of its Motion for Summary Judgment by February 22, 2019; and 3) Plaintiff shall file his Reply in support of his Cross–Motion for Summary Judgment by March 1, 2019. So ORDERED by Judge James E. Boasberg on 1/31/2019. (lcjeb3) (Entered: 01/31/2019)
01/31/2019		Set/Reset Deadlines: Response to Motion for Summary Judgment due by 2/22/2019. Reply to Motion for Summary Judgment due by 3/1/2019. (znbn) (Entered: 02/01/2019)
02/15/2019	<u>13</u>	NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTION OF COUNSEL by Christopher Charles Hair on behalf of All Defendants (Hair, Christopher) (Entered: 02/15/2019)
02/22/2019	<u>14</u>	Memorandum in opposition to re <u>11</u> Cross MOTION for Summary Judgment filed by DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Statement of Facts, # <u>2</u> Declaration of Jesse Houck and updated Vaughn index)(Hair, Christopher) (Entered: 02/22/2019)
02/22/2019	<u>15</u>	REPLY to opposition to motion re <u>8</u> MOTION for Summary Judgment filed by DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Declaration of Jesse Houck and updated Vaughn index)(Hair, Christopher) (Entered: 02/22/2019)
03/01/2019	<u>16</u>	REPLY to opposition to motion re 11 Cross MOTION for Summary Judgment filed by JOSHUA L. REINHARD. (Montalvo, Eric) (Entered: 03/01/2019)
03/05/2019		MINUTE ORDER: The Court ORDERS that Defendant shall produce to the Court for <i>in camera</i> review by March 11, 2019, clean and redacted copies of the 16 documents challenged in Plaintiff's <u>16</u> Reply. So ORDERED by Judge James E. Boasberg on 3/5/2019. (lcjeb2) (Entered: 03/05/2019)
03/05/2019		Set/Reset Deadlines: In–Camera Submission due by 3/11/2019. (znbn) (Entered: 03/05/2019)
03/11/2019	<u>17</u>	NOTICE of In Camera Submission by DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY (Hair, Christopher) (Entered: 03/11/2019)
07/11/2019	<u>18</u>	ORDER: The Court ORDERS that: (1) Defendant's <u>8</u> Motion for Summary Judgment is GRANTED IN PART and DENIED IN PART; (2) Plaintiff's <u>11</u> Cross—Motion for Summary Judgment is GRANTED IN PART and DENIED IN PART; (3) Defendant may withhold all disputed documents except those stamped USCG 80, 81, 243, 540–97, 695, and 743–75, which must be turned over to Plaintiff; and (4) Judgment is ENTERED in favor of each side in part consistent with the Memorandum Opinion. Signed by Judge James E. Boasberg on 7/11/2019. (lcjeb2) (Entered: 07/11/2019)
07/11/2019	<u>19</u>	MEMORANDUM OPINION re <u>18</u> Order. Signed by Judge James E. Boasberg on 7/11/2019. (lcjeb2) (Entered: 07/11/2019)
07/23/2019	<u>20</u>	Consent MOTION for Extension of Time to <i>file a motion for Attorneys Fees</i> by JOSHUA L. REINHARD (Attachments: # 1 Text of Proposed Order)(Montalvo, Eric) (Entered: 07/23/2019)
07/23/2019		MINUTE ORDER GRANTING Plaintiff's <u>20</u> Motion for Extension of Time. The Court ORDERS that any motion for attorney fees shall be filed by August 26, 2019. So ORDERED by Judge James E. Boasberg on 7/23/2019. (lcjeb2) (Entered: 07/23/2019)